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SUBJECT: KIDNAPPED AMERICANS: DUTCH TO MAKE DEMARCHE

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1. DUTCH AMBASSADOR VERKADE INFORMED ME THIS AFTERNOON (JUNE 24) THAT HE HAS NOW RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE HAGUE. THEY CALL FOR ASSOCIATING HIMSELF STRONGLY WITH A DEMARCHE HE WAS INFORMED WE WERE ABOUT TO MAKE TO GOZ REQUESTING SUSPENSION OF FAZ MILITARY OPERATIONS IN PRP AREA. VERKADE KNOWS THAT VANCE MADE PITCH TO MOBUTU MONDAY (REFTEL). I SAID WE DID NOT PLAN TO MAKE RENEWED DEMARCHE BEFORE JUNE 25.

2. VERKADE AND I AGREED THAT BEST COURSE WAS FOR HIM TO SEEK SEPARATE APPOINTMENT WITH FOREIGN MINISTER BULA THIS EVENING TO MAKE INDEPENDENT DEMARCHE. HE WILL INFORM US OF RESULTS.

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